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SHOWBIZ

Monday, October 24, 2022

Sterling Heights Recreation Center

6:30 pm (doors open 6:00 pm)

Live music is their passion. David Howell and Hunter Britton both pride themselves on their versatility and vibe – they love what they do and it shows! They play music from every genre--from easy listening to classic rock and even a little bit of country. You will be mesmerized when Hunter plays her violin.

Come and enjoy these great entertainers and devour the best of Oakwood: pulled pork, chicken, coleslaw, beans, and rolls. Plus, we will have ice cream for dessert. All of this for only \$16 per person. You will not want to miss it!!

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EVENT IN BRIEF

TICKETS: \$16 per person

FORMAT: Open Seating

FOOD: Oakwood BBQ



Lakeside Grovers Holiday Party

Friday, December 9, 2022

Sea Breeze Recreation Center

2384 Buena Vista Blvd

6:30 pm (doors open 6:00 pm)

Tickets on sale on Ticket Tuesday in October and November (October 11 and November 15), at \$36 per person. (Remember we have a new location for Ticket Tuesday: 2435 Upper Elmwood Place). It's time to reserve your seat for the event that is the high point of every year - OUR FANTASTIC HOLIDAY PARTY!!

Open this [Reservation Form](#) for all the details, including your meal options. Complete this form, pay for the event on Ticket Tuesday in either October or November, and you will be dancing the night away to the sounds of Dawn DiNome and Clark Barrios. Your sit-down dinner will be served by La Hacienda Catering. We are able to offer this glamorous event to you for \$36 per person. So mark your calendars now for Friday, December 9th. There will be reserved seating with 8 or 9 at a table.

To reserve a table, print the [Reservation Form](#). Complete all of the names, entree and dessert choices listed on the form and take it and the checks (in the amount of \$36 per person, made out to Lakeside Grovers Social Club) from each of the members listed on the form, to Ticket Tuesday, on October 11 or on November 15. Include the separate 2022 dues checks from those members who have not yet paid their 2022 dues.

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EVENT IN BRIEF

TICKETS: \$36 per person
FORMAT: Reserved Seating
FOOD: La Hacienda Catering

Ticket Tuesday

NEW LOCATION:

October 11, 2022

4 - 5 P.M.

**Patti Parker's Driveway
 2435 Upper Elmwood Place**

October 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4 Yom Kippur	5 TICKET TUESDAY	6	7	8
9	10 Columbus Day	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 Halloween	25	26	27	28	29
	30	31				

We have a **new location for Ticket Tuesday**. So our ticket takers will not be in the rain, we have moved Ticket Tuesday to Patti Parker's driveway, **2435 Upper**

Elmwood Place. Come to the October 11, 2022 Ticket Tuesday to buy tickets for the October Event, for the Holiday Party and to pay dues for the coming year. Bring separate checks for event tickets and dues, made out to Lakeside Grovers Social Club. We cannot accept cash.

October 1, 2022 is the start of a new membership year of October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023. Our dues continue to be only \$5 per person. **No one can purchase Holiday or New Year's Eve Party tickets until they have paid their dues.**

If you are a new member, paying dues for the first time, here is the [Membership Form](http://www.lakesidegrovers.com/uploads/9/5/2/3/95239902/2023_membership_form.pdf), or put the following in your browser:
http://www.lakesidegrovers.com/uploads/9/5/2/3/95239902/2023_membership_form.pdf

Download the [Membership Form](#), complete it and take it to Ticket Tuesday, with your check for \$5 per person. Or, you can mail the completed Form and check to Marsha Herring, 2239 Vassar Lane, The Villages, FL 32162.

If you are renewing your membership and have no changes to your phone number, email or street address, you do not need to complete a membership form.

If you will be out-of-town on Ticket Tuesday and want to purchase October Event Tickets or Holiday Party Tickets, **please do not put your Event or Holiday Party tickets check in the unpredictable mail to Patti Parker.** Instead, you could have a friend or neighbor take your check to Ticket Tuesday for you (or cover the cost for you to reimburse when you return). Or, you could call or text Patti, at (978) 771-8933, to make arrangements for someone locally to get the check to her, before the no refund date.

2022-2023 Dues:	\$ 5 per person*
October Event:	\$ 16 per person**
Holiday Party:	\$ 36 per person***

** Must be a member or pay 2022-23 Dues to buy tickets*

*** No October Event refunds after October 16*

**** No Holiday Party refunds after November 25*

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Extra Event Constitutional Amendments and Independent Fire District

Wednesday, October 12, 2022

Sterling Heights Recreation Center

6:30 pm (doors open at 6:00 pm)

Three (3) proposed amendments and an Independent Fire District are on the General Election ballot. Several of these issues have a direct impact on your life.

If you'd like to understand their affect before you vote, come to this presentation by the League of Women Voters on Wednesday, October 12, at 6:30 p.m. at Sterling Heights Recreation Center. The presenters will explain what a "Yes" and a "No" vote mean.

You will have a chance to ask questions and get the latest information on these very important issues.

Come to this informative presentation and be prepared to vote on these issues. **This event is free** and you are welcome to bring friends who are not Club members – as long as they are Villages residents.

We hope to see you there!

A brief note about the presenters: The League of Women Voters does not support or oppose any political party or candidate. While the League takes a stand on issues, they separate this advocacy role from their goal of educating the public. In this presentation they will have their “education hat” on so you will hear the facts, and nothing but the facts.

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EVENT IN BRIEF

TICKETS: None. Free Event

FORMAT: Open Seating

FOOD: None



MEET THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR OUR 2023 OFFICERS

Lorelei Hoff, Joanne Fleetwood and Patti Parker have agreed to interview and propose candidates for the following positions available on our 2023 Board:

- Vice President for a 2 year term (this individual automatically becomes the President for the second year);
- Treasurer for a 2 year term; and
- Events Director, for a 2 year term.

Officer transition occurs in February of 2023. Candidates need to be dues-paid members and full time Villages residents.

If you would like to be considered as a candidate for one of these positions, or if you know a suitable candidate, please make this information known to one of the Nominating Committee members, by email:

Lorelei Hoff (lwhoff.fl@gmail.com), Joanne Fleetwood (joannefleetwood@yahoo.com) and Patti Parker (patti4747@gmail.com).

Nominations close, Friday, December 2, 2022. For a detailed description of the duties of these Offices, see page 2 of our [By-Laws](#).

Please consider serving your club in one of these positions.

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Save the Date: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

This year's Tamarind Grove Arts and Crafts Holiday Art Walk will be held on Sunday, December 4, between 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. So far this year we have 20 artists committed to sell at this fun event!

As you will recall, we will gather at various homes throughout the Villages so you can go from place to place in your cart. On the day of the event, you will be able to go to any location (sites yet to be determined) and get a list and map of the other locations. Those locations will be easy to find with balloons or signs marking the way. Expect to find anything and everything, from jewelry, cards, glass fusion, painted furniture, paintings done in watercolor, pastel, and acrylics, photography, wreaths, hand-sewn items, original books by local authors, and much more.

All in all, it's a fun way to spend a Sunday afternoon and you will be able to find some awesome creations done by your neighbors. I believe you will be very surprised at the variety and quality of our creations.

If you are an artist and are new to the area or have decided you'd like to be a participant and sell, please contact me as soon as possible.

Lorelei Hoff
701-527-7235
lwhoff.fl@gmail.com

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SAVE THE DATE: New Year's Eve Party

Saturday, December 31, 2022

Sterling Heights Recreation Center

8:00 pm (doors open 8:00 pm)

Save the date for another fun New Year's Eve Party! TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER. MORE INFO TO FOLLOW.

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Other Stuff

September 2022 Event

Entertainment: The Villages German Band

Food: Grandma's German Kitchen

FINANCIAL REPORT

INCOME	Ticket Sales	\$1,360.00
	Raffle	100.00
TOTAL INCOME		\$ 1,460.00
EXPENSES	Food	1,377.86
	Entertainer	150.00
	Supplies	38.71
	Total Expenses	\$1,566.57
SURPLUS		\$ 106.57

SURVEY RESULTS

Number of Responses: 70

Questions	Weighted Average	Percent of 4&5 Rating
I enjoyed the Event	4.81	96%
I'd run this Event again	4.77	94%
I'd use this food vendor again	4.87	96%

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CAUGHT ON CAMERA

See if **you** were [Caught on Camera](#) last month. And while you're at it, browse through past events all the way back to June 2012. We all looked younger then . . because we were! Relive those glorious days of yesteryear.

MEMBERSHIP FORMS

If you're not a member and want to be . . . or if you want to order one of our nifty name tags . . . or if your contact information has changed, get our [Membership Form](#). Everything you need to know about the next steps are printed right on the form.

If you have not yet signed a Villages Release Form, get a copy by clicking [Here](#). You can download the form, sign it and either take it to your local Recreation Center, or bring it to our next meeting.

**Board of Directors
& Ticket Sales**

